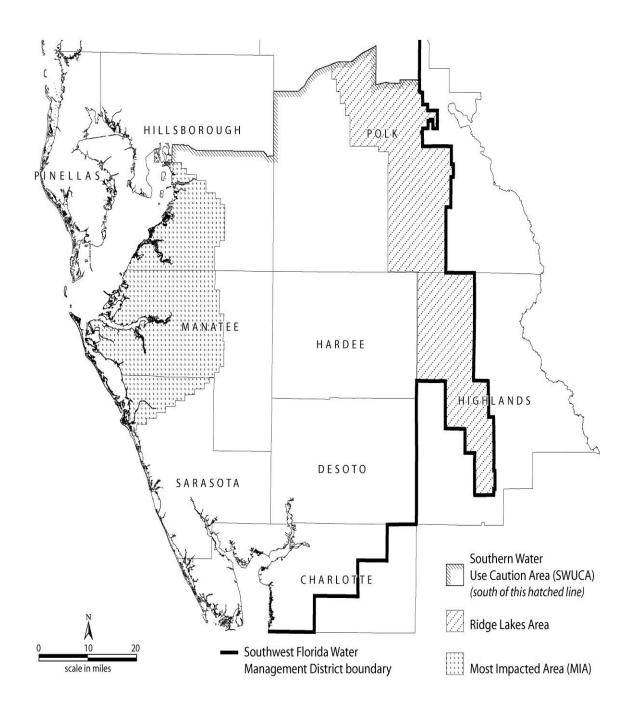
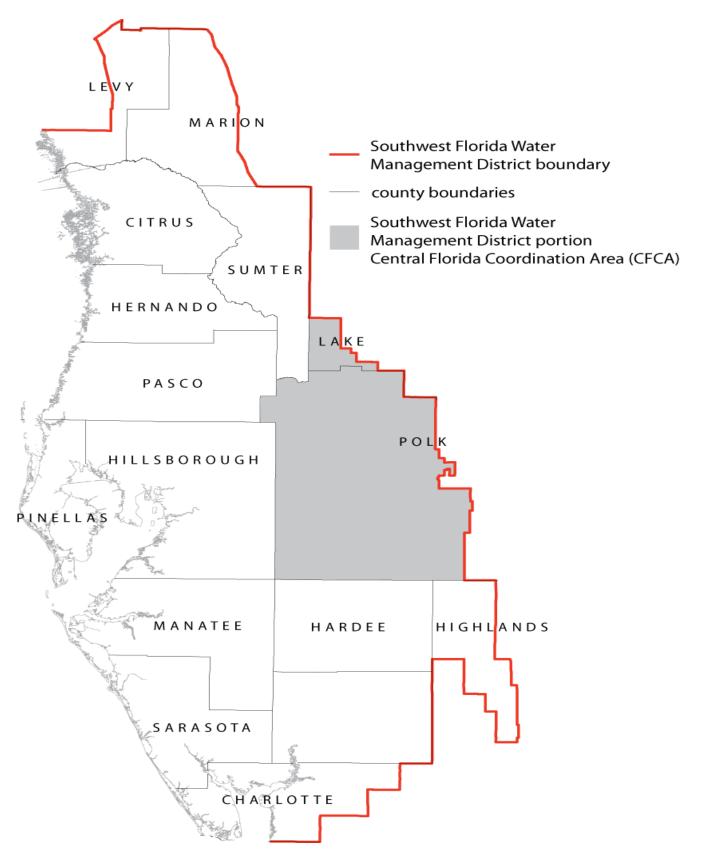
40D-2.801 Water Use Caution Areas.

(3) The regions described in this rule have been declared WUCAs by the District Governing Board. This rule reaffirms the declaration of WUCAs and creates conditions to be applied to water users in those areas.

(c) Dover/Plant City Water Use Caution Area. To address adverse impacts to water users and offsite land uses due to groundwater withdrawals during frost/freeze events, the Governing Board has established portions of Hillsborough and Polk Counties as a WUCA effective as of 6-16-11.

Figure 2-1







1. As shown in Figure 2-3, the boundary for the Dover/Plant City WUCA is as follows:

The portions of Hillsborough and Polk Counties within the following sections (all Townships are South; all Ranges are East):

Township 27, Range 20: Sections 25, 26, 35 and 36;

Township 27, Range 21: Sections 25 through 36;

Township 27, Range 22: Sections 25 through 36;

Township 27, Range 23: Sections 29 through 32;

Township 28, Range 20: Sections 1, 2, 11 through 14, 23 through 26, 35 and 36;

Township 28, Range 21: All Sections;

Township 28, Range 22: All Sections;

Township 28, Range 23: Sections 5 through 8, 17 through 20, and 29 through 32;

Township 29, Range 20: Sections 1, 2, 11 through 14, 23 through 26, 35 and 36;

Township 29, Range 21: All Sections;

Township 29, Range 22: All Sections;

Township 29, Range 23: Sections 5 through 8, 17 through 20, and 29 through 32;

Township 30, Range 20: Sections 1, 2, 11 and 12;

Township 30, Range 21: Sections 1 through 12;

Township 30, Range 22: Sections 1 through 12;

Township 30, Range 23: Sections 5 through 8.

2. Regulations applicable to this WUCA are specified in this chapter and in the WUP Applicant's Handbook Part B Section 3.9.4, and are in addition to all other regulations set forth in Chapter 40D-2, F.A.C., and the WUP Applicant's Handbook Parts B and D.

3. The permitting criteria and conditions set forth in Chapter 40D-2, F.A.C., the WUP Applicant's Handbook Part B, subsection 40D-8.626(3) and Rule 40D-80.075, F.A.C. shall apply, as specified therein, to the following existing, new, renewal and modification applications for:

a. Frost/freeze quantities to be withdrawn from groundwater when at least one withdrawal point is within the Dover/Plant City WUCA.

b. Quantities of 100,000 gpd annual average or greater from groundwater when at least one withdrawal point is within the Dover/Plant City WUCA.

c. A permit with at least one withdrawal point within the Dover/Plant City WUCA for groundwater quantities to provide frost/freeze quantities authorized to be used or withdrawn from any combination of sources that if withdrawn from groundwater alone would have the potential to impact the Minimum Aquifer Level Protection Zone established for the Dover/Plant City WUCA.

d. A permit with at least one withdrawal point within the Dover/Plant City WUCA for groundwater quantities to provide supplemental irrigation for a use that typically requires frost/freeze protection and where such protection could be achieved through groundwater withdrawals but alternative protection methods are proposed.

4. Any permit with a withdrawal point located within the boundaries of the Dover/Plant City WUCA is deemed to be within the Dover/Plant City WUCA. Permits with permitted withdrawals in more than one WUCA shall be subject to the conservation and reporting requirements, if any, of the WUCA within which the majority of permitted quantities are withdrawn, or projected to be withdrawn, in addition to all other rule criteria, including MFL requirements, as set forth in Chapter 40D-2, F.A.C., and the WUP Applicant's Handbook Part B. However, the Dover/Plant City WUCA provisions shall supersede any other rule criteria that creates conflicting or more stringent requirements. Nothing in the rules and the WUP Applicant's Handbook Part B specific to the Dover/Plant City WUCA shall be interpreted or applied in any manner that would interfere with the Comprehensive Plan for the Northern Tampa Bay Area as outlined in Rule 40D-80.073, F.A.C.

5. All water use permits with withdrawal points within the Dover/Plant City WUCA are hereby modified to conform with the provisions of paragraph 40D-2.801(3)(c), F.A.C., except as provided in subparagraph 40D-2.801(3)(c)4., F.A.C., above, and the applicable Dover/Plant City WUCA criteria specified in the WUP Applicant's Handbook Part B, are incorporated into all such WUPs.

6. The Dover/Plant City WUCA is a water resource caution area for purposes of Chapter 403, F.S., and Chapter 62-40, F.A.C.

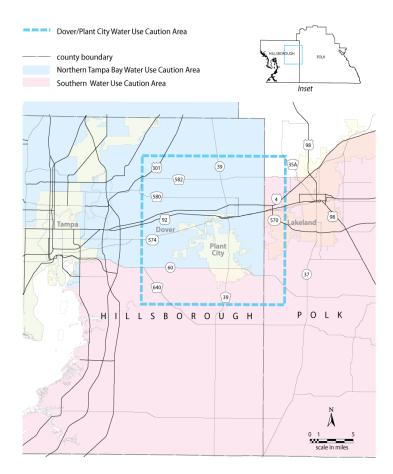


Figure 2-3 Dover/Plant City Water Use Caution Area

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